

Georgia Department of Transportation Fact Sheet

Sunbelt Parkway/ SR 133

CORRIDOR FACTS

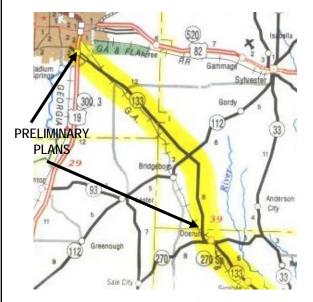
- ♦ The SR 133 corridor extends from Albany in Dougherty County to Valdosta in Lowndes County.
- Completed projects will provide **4-lanes** of roadway, usually divided with a grass median.
- ◆ The SR 133 corridor is approximately **66 miles** in length.
- Design and engineering for the entire SR 133 corridor began in 2004.
- ♦ The current estimated cost to complete the four-lane construction of the SR 133 corridor is \$271,403,800

PREPARING A HIGHWAY PROJECT FOR CONSTRUCTION

Highway construction demands adherence to an exact project development process, as specified in federal and state laws. This process incorporates a number of key stages that are vital to the development of a highway construction project:

- ♦ Concept Development: Data analysis, conceptual studies and alternatives analysis
- Environmental Approval: Surveys for environmental resources, public meetings and environmental document approval
- Preliminary Design Plans: Design and preparation of preliminary roadway plans and utility coordination
- Right of Way Acquisition: Property title research, right of way plans, property appraisal, purchase of right of way
- Final Design Plans: Design and preparation of final construction plans and contract documents
- ♦ Let to Contract: Advertise for bids, award to construction contract and begin construction

SR 133 STATUS FROM ALBANY IN DOUGHERTY COUNTY TO VALDOSTA IN LOWNDES COUNTY

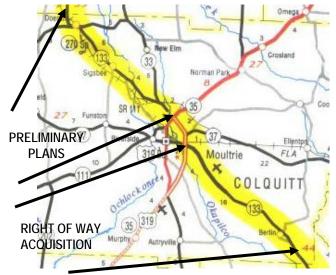


SR 133 FROM ALBANY IN DOUGHERTY COUNTY TO DOERUN IN COLQUITT COUNTY

The SR 133 corridor begins south of Albany at the end of the existing four-lane section of SR 133. All projects along the SR 133 corridor are in the preliminary plan development phase.

Project Concept Reports have been approved and environmental studies underway for three projects extending 19 miles from Albany in Dougherty County, through Worth County, to the community of Doerun in Colquitt County (**Project ID Nos. 0000473**, **0000475**, **0000519**). Right-of way is scheduled in FY 2016 for all 3 projects and funds for construction have not been identified.

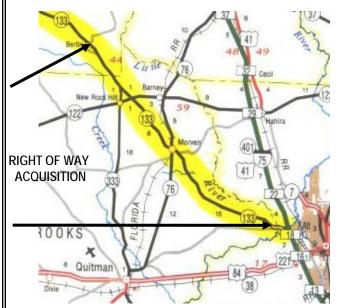
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SR 133 FROM DOERUN IN COLQUITT COUNTY
TO BERLIN IN COLQUITT COUNTY

In Colquitt County north of Moultrie, the project concept report is approved and environmental studies underway for the 12.0 mile stretch of SR 133 between Doerun and Moultrie (**Project ID No. 0000520**). Right-of-way is scheduled for FY 2016 and funds for construction have not been identified.

Concept Reports and environmental documents are approved for the 12.5 mile stretch of SR 133 south of Moultrie, from the East Moultrie Bypass/SR 35 to the community of Berlin in Colquitt County (Project ID Nos. 431780- and 0000546). Right-of-way acquisition is underway and construction funding is scheduled in FY 2014 for 431780- and funds for construction have not been identified for 0000546.



SR 133 FROM BERLIN IN COLQUITT COUNTY THROUGH BROOKS COUNTY TO I-75 AT VALDOSTA

Concept Reports and environmental documents are approved for three projects extending 22.0 miles from the community of Berlin in Colquitt County to the end of the multi-lane section of SR 133 in Brooks County approaching the I-75 interchange in Valdosta. (Project ID Nos. 0000545, 0000544, 0000543). Right-of-way acquisition is underway for all 3 projects and construction is scheduled in FY 2019, FY2017 and FY 2014 respectively.